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Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
November 1962

January 8, 1963

Inspected Poultry

The number of head (chickens, turkeys and ducks combined) inspected under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U.S.D.A. during November 1962 amounted to 163,938,000, compared with 150,446,000 in November 1961. The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes were: young chickens, 133,456,000 head, 472,224,000 pounds; mature chickens, 15,096 head, 71,376,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1,661,000 head, 14,797,000 pounds; young turkeys, 13,075,000 head, 275,678,000 pounds; old turkeys, 23,000 head, 466,000 pounds; and ducks, 627,000 head, 3,994,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry

The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in November 1962 totaled 626,566,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 367,536,000 pounds were iced and 259,030,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 342,327,000 pounds; mature chickens, 48,059,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 11,556,000 pounds; young turkeys, 219,312,000 pounds; old turkeys, 366,000 pounds; ducks, 2,842,000 pounds; and other poultry, 2,104,000 pounds.

Canned and Processed Poultry

Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in November 1962 totaled 49,569,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 41,260,000 pounds in November 1961. The quantity used in November 1962 consisted of 7,708,000 pounds of young chickens, 20,883,000 pounds of mature chickens, 17,707,000 pounds of turkeys, and 3,271,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 1,298,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.16 percent; mature chickens, 0.29 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.17 percent; young turkeys, 0.10 percent; and ducks, 0.01 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in November 1962 amounted to 15,450,000 pounds (NYD) weight. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 2.25 percent; mature chickens, 3.06 percent, fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.10 percent; young turkeys, 1.51 percent; old turkeys, 0.95 percent; and ducks 1.56 percent. In November 1961, the condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 2.25 percent; mature chickens, 3.06 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.33 percent; young turkeys, 1.65 percent; old turkeys, 1.91 percent; and ducks, 2.34 percent.

Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, November 1962 with comparisons

Class	Number inspected				Pounds inspected (live weight)				Average live weight			
	November		Jan.-Nov.		October		November		October		November	
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Young chickens	161,116	119,662	133,456	1,617,299	1,634,271	562,187	423,473	472,224	5,540,971	5,580,418	3,49	3,54
Mature chickens	17,160	13,806	15,096	107,635	109,514	80,906	64,933	71,376	525,068	529,909	4,71	4,73
Total chickens	178,276	133,468	148,552	1,724,934	1,743,785	643,093	488,406	543,600	6,066,039	6,110,327	3,61	3,66
Fryer-roasters	1,840	1,664	1,661	15,589	12,914	16,167	15,057	14,797	135,244	111,995	8,79	9,05
Young turkeys	13,964	14,611	13,075	64,899	55,316	279,908	297,756	275,678	1,208,416	1,058,042	20,04	20,38
Old turkeys	64	73	23	3,330	2,511	1,179	1,460	466	63,274	47,742	18,42	20,00
Total turkeys	15,868	16,348	14,759	83,818	70,741	297,254	314,273	290,941	1,406,934	1,217,779	18,73	19,22
Ducks	968	630	627	9,239	8,917	6,255	3,990	3,994	58,152	57,003	6,46	6,33
Other poultry	---	---	---	---	---	913	2,428	2,870	5,393	5,786	---	---
Total poultry	---	---	---	---	---	947,515	809,097	841,405	7,536,518	7,390,895	---	---

Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights)

Class	October 1962				November 1962				January-November 1961				January-November 1962			
	Iced		Frozen		Iced		Frozen		Iced		Frozen		Iced		Frozen	
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Young chickens	361,460	47,125	408,585	264,398	295,458	342,327	3,606,082	404,855	4,010,937	3,581,566	456,391	4,037,957	4,037,957	362,264	37,787	4,400,221
Mature chickens	35,039	19,465	54,504	30,516	33,478	48,059	241,729	119,711	361,440	242,232	120,032	362,264	362,264	37,787	968,719	87,024
Total chickens	396,499	66,590	463,089	294,914	328,936	390,386	3,847,811	524,566	4,372,377	3,823,798	576,423	4,400,221	4,400,221	37,787	968,719	87,024
Fryer-roasters	1,738	10,756	12,494	2,704	1,983	11,556	23,402	81,480	104,882	19,033	67,991	87,024	87,024	843,908	37,787	968,719
Young turkeys	19,069	204,653	223,722	30,954	205,794	236,748	87,258	874,996	962,254	94,306	749,602	843,908	843,908	37,787	968,719	87,024
Old turkeys	---	942	942	534	622	1,156	4,750	46,283	51,033	3,334	34,453	37,787	37,787	968,719	87,024	87,024
Total turkeys	20,807	216,351	237,158	34,192	215,252	249,444	115,410	1,002,759	1,118,169	116,673	852,046	968,719	968,719	37,787	968,719	87,024
Ducks	106	4,329	4,435	169	2,584	2,753	123	2,719	2,842	1,708	39,123	40,831	40,831	3,982	4,413,153	5,413,153
Other poultry	6	683	689	61	1,689	1,750	7	2,097	2,104	91	3,791	3,882	3,882	3,982	4,413,153	5,413,153
Total poultry	417,418	287,953	705,371	329,336	274,792	604,128	367,536	259,030	626,566	3,965,020	1,570,239	5,535,259	5,535,259	3,941,771	147,382	5,413,153

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, November 1962 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight)		Pounds (live weight)		Pounds (N.Y.dressed wt.)		Pounds (N.Y.dressed wt.)	
	November	Percent	January-November	Percent	November	Percent	January-November	Percent
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
	1,000		1,000		1,000		1,000	
	Pounds	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds	Percent
Young chickens	723	0.17	12,162	0.16	8,651	2.25	94,522	2.25
Mature chickens	216	.33	1,746	.29	1,782	3.06	12,775	3.06
Total chickens	939	.19	13,908	.18	10,433	2.36	107,297	2.35
Fryer-roasters	41	.27	236	.17	315	2.33	1,832	1.10
Young turkeys	353	.12	1,501	.10	4,425	1.65	16,169	1.51
Old turkeys	2	.14	89	---	25	1.91	1,087	0.95
Total turkeys	396	.13	1,826	.11	4,765	1.69	19,088	1.48
Ducks	2	.04	46	.01	84	2.34	1,141	1.56
Other poultry	2	.07	5	.05	11	.50	39	.85
Total	1,339	.17	15,785	.15	15,203	2.09	127,565	2.04

Poultry: Inspected for canning and other processed foods, November 1962 with comparisons 4/

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight						Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight					
	October 1962			November 1961			October 1962			November 1961		
	pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Young chickens :	7,331	6,704	7,708	71,862	80,019	6	38	4	132	75		
Mature chickens :	24,037	18,606	20,883	199,564	199,801	12	31	12	161	173		
Turkeys :	18,982	12,945	17,707	93,671	133,488	15	4	9	37	79		
Other poultry :	3,636	3,005	3,271	34,052	33,945	7	14	13	53	52		
Total :	53,986	41,260	49,569	399,149	447,253	40	87	38	383	379		

1/ Pounds condemned as percent of pounds (live weight) inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of pounds (live weight) inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

2/ FOUNDS COMMENCED AS PERCENT OF EQ
3/ DASHES MEAN LESS THAN 500 POUNDS.

2/ Excludes meat less than 100 pounds.
3/ Excludes meat less than 100 pounds.
4/ All poultry inspected for canning and other processing. (Data issued currently during 1961 included raw product cut up and packaged in plants other than those in which the birds were slaughtered and eviscerated.)

5/ Poultry parts and fat used in canning that cannot be identified by class are included in "other poultry."

Young chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Pounds (NYD)		Percent 2/	
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	10,445	11,260	42,993	46,010	4.12	4.09	30,479	33,258	814	1,94	1.97	1.97
E. N. Cent.	3,736	2,888	14,449	10,871	3.87	3.76	10,457	7,940	146	1.46	1.50	1.50
W. N. Cent.	4,594	3,745	16,441	13,339	3.58	3.56	11,676	9,601	222	2.72	1.85	1.85
S. Atl.	50,106	57,981	176,735	204,952	3.53	3.53	128,887	149,378	4,352	1.98	2.36	2.36
S. Cent.	47,646	54,376	161,047	185,100	3.38	3.40	116,025	133,691	3,659	2.61	2.20	2.20
West	3,135	3,206	11,808	11,952	3.77	3.73	8,444	8,459	337	2.76	3.14	3.14
U. S.	119,662	133,456	423,473	472,224	3.54	3.54	305,968	342,327	9,530	2.25	2.25	2.25
Maine	4,093	4,337	17,176	18,142	4.20	4.18	12,273	13,507	310	2.17	1.90	1.90
Mass.	323	409	1,539	1,753	4.77	4.29	1,101	1,253	45	2.61	2.81	2.81
Conn.	795	884	3,250	3,181	4.09	3.60	2,226	2,192	59	2.02	1.79	1.79
N. J. 3/ 4/	19	---	95	---	4.88	---	29	---	1	---	---	---
Pa.	4,401	5,185	17,633	21,093	4.01	4.07	12,640	15,200	288	1.82	2.04	2.04
Ohio	1,127	752	4,395	2,954	3.90	3.93	3,218	2,159	62	1.59	1.45	1.45
Ind.	1,275	1,029	4,575	3,359	3.59	3.26	3,317	2,441	54	1.32	1.33	1.33
Ill.-Mich. 5/	209	147	1,024	759	4.90	5.16	717	549	22	1.32	1.32	1.32
Wis.	1,125	960	4,455	3,799	3.96	3.96	3,205	2,791	51	1.27	1.70	1.70
Minn.	960	795	4,032	3,031	4.20	3.81	2,914	2,217	115	3.18	1.91	1.91
Iowa	152	130	1,000	761	6.56	5.86	747	564	7	.73	1.20	1.20
Mo.	3,375	2,801	10,965	9,429	3.25	3.37	7,683	6,731	273	2.77	1.91	1.91
Del.	5,305	6,183	20,246	24,428	3.82	3.95	14,963	17,971	296	1.63	2.22	2.22
Md.	7,865	8,084	29,353	31,032	3.73	3.84	20,931	22,161	453	1.72	2.04	2.04
Va.	3,542	3,338	11,119	10,211	3.14	3.06	8,081	7,334	194	1.95	1.57	1.57
N. C.	11,645	14,552	41,206	51,233	3.54	3.52	30,213	37,632	774	1.45	1.68	1.68
S. C.	1,292	1,403	4,388	4,859	3.40	3.46	3,106	3,519	125	3.18	2.43	2.43
Ga.	19,775	23,576	68,185	80,358	3.45	3.41	49,972	58,714	1,525	2.49	3.08	3.08
Ky.	1,480	1,889	5,090	6,457	3.44	3.42	3,570	4,579	102	2.23	1.81	1.81
Tenn.	3,508	3,896	12,165	13,954	3.47	3.58	8,831	10,124	280	2.56	2.65	2.65
Ala.	11,414	12,897	39,086	44,961	3.42	3.49	28,795	32,964	914	3.48	2.26	2.26
Miss.	8,498	9,853	28,386	32,997	3.34	3.35	20,626	24,156	640	2.51	1.99	1.99
Ark.	14,729	16,644	49,395	55,395	3.35	3.33	34,860	39,167	1,111	2.50	2.51	2.51
La.-Okla. 5/	1,776	2,288	6,088	7,913	3.43	3.46	4,380	5,824	96	1.75	1.73	1.73
Texas	6,241	6,909	20,837	23,423	3.34	3.39	14,963	16,877	344	1.78	1.63	1.63
Idaho	299	277	1,085	977	3.62	3.53	781	723	19	1.98	1.68	1.68
Wash.	368	544	1,329	2,089	3.61	3.84	923	1,491	17	1.46	1.05	1.05
Calif.	2,346	2,361	8,948	8,790	3.81	3.72	6,426	6,173	252	3.14	3.82	3.82

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data. 2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data. 3/ Dashes mean less than 500 pounds. 4/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations. 5/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young Chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, November 1962

Region and State	Tuber-: Leu-: Septi-: Airtsac-: Inflam-: Tumors-: Para-: Bruises: Cadaver: Contam-: Over-: Rescom-: Other: Total		culitis: cemia: matory: sites:		:ation: scald: position:		:om-: : Other: : Total						
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		
N. Atl.	---	37,622	72,430	42,514	21,094	762	2,173	5,386	7,194	678	86	8,827	198,768
E. N. Cent.	1	1,956	9,529	20,880	2,822	208	820	1,768	2,700	200	2	6,210	47,102
W. N. Cent.	20	1,248	11,120	26,707	9,172	450	814	2,486	4,329	281	0	11,824	68,452
S. Atl.	---	119,721	137,385	486,240	46,385	2,620	8,950	38,014	56,357	3,547	2,358	392,520	1,294,113
S. Cent.	---	48,952	84,292	506,183	28,350	3,286	10,479	44,004	57,758	5,438	1,777	278,606	1,069,149
West	---	1,187	13,283	57,541	5,752	968	806	1,642	4,582	464	3	27,103	113,340
U. S.	21	210,686	328,039	1,140,065	113,575	8,294	24,042	93,300	132,920	10,608	4,226	725,090	2,790,924
Maine	---	8,631	30,319	11,357	13,367	179	994	2,446	2,576	144	---	119	70,132
Mass.	---	1,177	4,212	1,796	1,030	62	146	186	362	7	15	319	9,312
Conn.	---	5,583	4,767	1,070	724	99	100	174	1,262	7	---	12	13,798
Pa.	---	20,932	31,299	26,544	5,248	377	561	2,490	2,504	485	70	8,312	98,824
Ohio	---	315	1,967	3,121	821	84	157	911	682	80	1	3,118	11,259
Ind.	---	949	3,647	7,596	673	18	174	337	1,084	62	1	460	15,002
Ill.-Mich. 1/	1	219	902	642	174	9	60	99	232	4	---	---	2,343
Wis.	---	473	3,013	9,521	1,154	97	429	421	702	54	---	2,632	18,498
Minn.	---	22	1,171	2,127	1,200	93	103	717	834	2	---	6,991	13,260
Iowa	1	152	458	136	77	17	106	52	250	15	---	6	1,270
Mo.	1	1,065	9,421	24,440	7,887	340	596	1,717	3,213	263	---	4,793	53,737
Del.	---	39,842	38,800	31,125	8,973	559	589	2,613	2,182	50	---	15,195	139,931
Md.	---	37,305	45,310	28,028	9,818	1,047	1,295	4,421	3,940	137	11	28,924	160,637
Va.	---	4,374	17,842	11,994	5,378	23	183	607	1,464	286	1	6,368	48,520
N. C.	---	10,867	14,068	74,050	7,241	319	2,568	12,949	11,221	1,108	314	99,256	233,966
S. C.	---	350	485	15,888	134	14	258	1,215	1,661	168	147	11,869	32,189
Ga.	---	24,277	18,912	320,337	14,621	642	3,970	15,839	35,553	1,727	1,885	225,838	663,607
Ky.	---	837	5,266	16,332	817	40	680	1,965	1,961	1,162	1	5,977	35,041
Tenn.	---	5,455	4,893	32,911	876	55	796	8,096	9,309	453	25	39,634	102,503
Ala.	---	8,090	6,788	154,287	601	219	1,351	5,418	12,157	1,254	159	82,955	273,279
Miss.	---	18,554	11,773	71,318	639	419	1,716	7,029	12,459	954	1,113	51,383	177,361
Ark.	---	4,543	17,412	190,508	14,937	1,109	3,194	13,089	13,716	710	384	84,436	344,049
La.-Okla. 1/	---	3,151	9,165	13,410	2,135	533	698	1,681	1,937	82	1	1,091	33,885
Texas	---	8,322	28,995	27,417	8,345	911	2,044	6,726	6,219	823	94	13,130	103,031
Idaho	---	98	1,827	1,881	13	27	141	256	130	56	1	1,251	5,687
Wash.	---	226	2,359	997	303	34	64	94	193	45	2	1,262	5,579
Calif.	---	601	8,998	54,661	5,400	905	586	1,281	4,258	363	---	24,580	101,636

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature Chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations	
		1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
		Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
								Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	2,632	2,692	12,956	4.81	4.81	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
E. N. Cent.	2,290	2,295	9,886	4.32	4.31	6,570	6,749	224	275
W. N. Cent.	4,414	4,672	18,641	4.22	4.30	12,445	13,045	705	714
S. Atl.	2,182	2,441	11,930	5.47	5.47	8,536	9,375	280	323
S. Cent.	1,161	1,635	6,947	5.98	5.61	4,873	6,353	214	292
West	1,127	1,361	4,855	4.31	4.33	3,290	3,861	160	178
U. S.	13,806	15,096	71,376	4.70	4.73	44,213	48,059	1,782	1,960
Maine	352	276	2,050	5.83	6.69	1,498	1,355	35	29
Conn. 3/	69	---	452	6.58	---	312	---	6	---
N.Y.	295	269	1,386	4.70	4.41	941	827	20	19
N.J.	1,296	1,352	5,373	3.99	3.98	3,214	3,348	83	67
Pa.	298	434	2,335	5.29	5.37	1,084	1,600	20	31
Ohio	453	544	2,324	4.55	4.27	1,449	1,592	57	66
Ind.	1,002	737	3,342	4.31	4.53	2,423	2,288	80	84
Ill.	680	819	3,395	4.15	4.15	2,431	2,272	76	99
Mich.	23	34	101	4.33	4.16	51	90	1	3
Wis.	132	161	599	4.52	4.24	216	507	10	23
Minn.	1,709	1,854	7,035	4.12	4.18	4,597	4,950	356	304
Iowa	607	587	2,525	4.16	4.21	1,780	1,648	81	76
Mo.	818	871	3,590	4.39	4.63	2,517	2,687	75	85
N.Dak.-S.Dak. 4/	238	250	1,070	4.50	4.50	688	720	38	63
Nebr.	975	1,095	4,086	4.19	4.19	2,639	2,958	146	183
Kans. 3/	67	---	335	5.00	---	224	---	9	---
Del.	44	---	322	5.40	7.23	326	234	9	5
Md.	557	647	2,349	4.04	4.19	1,574	1,850	72	76
Va.	199	197	1,132	5.70	5.67	803	802	24	20
N.C.	593	740	3,422	5.77	5.70	2,449	2,943	67	91
S.C.	56	45	343	6.16	6.82	246	220	11	7
Ga.	663	726	4,179	6.31	6.17	3,023	3,185	94	118
Ky.	33	---	187	5.66	---	129	---	4	---
Tenn.	238	469	1,424	5.99	5.38	993	1,695	29	79
Ala.	253	327	1,804	5.78	5.52	1,075	1,296	38	56
Miss.	106	137	719	6.77	6.34	520	623	16	21
Ark.	177	294	1,237	7.00	5.97	846	1,202	52	63
La.-Okla. 4/	136	129	802	5.90	6.16	551	555	32	31
Texas	218	202	1,115	5.11	5.39	759	744	43	35
Idaho	10	21	46	4.58	4.70	31	67	1	2
Utah	82	47	311	3.81	3.80	222	128	3	1
Wash.	94	123	406	4.31	4.50	260	359	11	16
Calif.	927	1,170	4,036	4.35	4.33	2,737	3,307	143	159

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Mature chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, November 1962

Region and State	Tuber- :culosis	Leu- :cosis	Septil- :emia	Airsac- :culitis	Inflam- :matory	Tumors :sites	Para- :bruises	Cadaver: :inaction	Over- :scald	Decom- :position	Other: :Total		
N. Atl.	No. 442	No. 5,129	No. 17,322	No. 19	No. 7,457	No. 6,526	No. 7	No. 2,020	No. 2,489	No. 330	No. 157	No. 3,257	No. 46,063
E. N. Cent.	No. 10,394	No. 6,852	No. 20,916	No. 56	No. 8,126	No. 8,048	No. 570	No. 3,062	No. 6,617	No. 178	No. 1,026	No. 7,592	No. 75,136
W. N. Cent.	No. 53,659	No. 11,432	No. 28,361	No. 233	No. 21,253	No. 7,588	No. 2,542	No. 3,216	No. 6,915	No. 1,402	No. 347	No. 51,575	No. 190,812
S. Atl.	No. 49	No. 2,913	No. 15,676	No. 543	No. 8,518	No. 3,224	No. 11	No. 2,566	No. 4,645	No. 674	No. 28	No. 35,769	No. 75,374
S. Cent.	No. 36	No. 2,203	No. 16,625	No. 534	No. 8,186	No. 2,410	No. 427	No. 1,713	No. 8,175	No. 65	No. 79	No. 31,040	No. 72,078
West	No. 4	No. 683	No. 15,516	No. 353	No. 6,448	No. 7,186	No. 161	No. 1,228	No. 2,988	No. 173	No. 27	No. 15,016	No. 50,430
U. S.	No. 64,584	No. 29,212	No. 114,416	No. 1,738	No. 59,988	No. 34,982	No. 3,718	No. 13,224	No. 31,829	No. 2,822	No. 1,664	No. 144,249	No. 509,893
Maine	No. ---	No. 437	No. 2,189	No. 4	No. 1,449	No. 211	No. ---	No. 105	No. 487	No. 9	No. ---	No. ---	No. 4,953
N. Y.	No. ---	No. 565	No. 2,037	No. 7	No. 1,127	No. 940	No. ---	No. 518	No. 209	No. 106	No. 133	No. ---	No. 5,925
N. J.	No. 430	No. 2,795	No. 6,899	No. 8	No. 1,837	No. 4,085	No. 4	No. 1,134	No. 679	No. 164	No. 8	No. 3,085	No. 21,463
Pa.	No. 11	No. 530	No. 3,654	No. ---	No. 1,688	No. 539	No. 1	No. 181	No. 719	No. 51	No. 12	No. 18	No. 7,503
Ohio	No. 1,286	No. 2,590	No. 3,658	No. 3	No. 2,801	No. 1,908	No. 276	No. 1,325	No. 1,412	No. 28	No. 6	No. 3,514	No. 19,056
Ind.	No. 2,493	No. 2,016	No. 8,330	No. 22	No. 3,197	No. 3,415	No. 178	No. 629	No. 1,145	No. 36	No. ---	No. 800	No. 22,657
Ill.	No. 4,478	No. 1,213	No. 8,048	No. 10	No. 1,032	No. 1,830	No. 113	No. 892	No. 3,897	No. 108	No. 1,020	No. 2,339	No. 25,957
Mich.	No. 80	No. 55	No. 248	No. 19	No. 84	No. 343	No. ---	No. 46	No. 38	No. 2	No. ---	No. 44	No. 985
Wis.	No. 2,057	No. 978	No. 632	No. 2	No. 1,012	No. 552	No. 3	No. 31	No. 125	No. 4	No. ---	No. 895	No. 6,481
Minn.	No. 19,763	No. 2,426	No. 7,233	No. 38	No. 7,205	No. 4,756	No. 1,095	No. 1,256	No. 3,128	No. 1,086	No. ---	No. 27,553	No. 76,339
Iowa	No. 3,974	No. 745	No. 3,953	No. 6	No. 1,557	No. 458	No. 220	No. 501	No. 724	No. 117	No. 1	No. 8,834	No. 21,310
Mo.	No. 2,386	No. 1,337	No. 6,435	No. 121	No. 2,472	No. 1,108	No. 377	No. 719	No. 1,305	No. 45	No. 260	No. 3,068	No. 20,091
N. Dak.-S. Dak.	No. 3,176	No. 1,089	No. 3,179	No. 20	No. 2,784	No. 337	No. 42	No. 256	No. 288	No. 4	No. ---	No. 7,340	No. 18,814
Nebr.	No. 24,360	No. 5,822	No. 7,475	No. 35	No. 7,147	No. 917	No. 808	No. 491	No. 1,432	No. 150	No. 85	No. 4,666	No. 53,855
Del.	No. ---	No. 139	No. 441	No. 1	No. 172	No. 51	No. ---	No. 14	No. 19	No. 1	No. ---	No. 192	No. 1,034
Md.	No. 49	No. 2,008	No. 8,955	No. 38	No. 5,420	No. 819	No. ---	No. 464	No. 662	No. 234	No. ---	No. 144	No. 19,579
Va.	No. ---	No. 164	No. 2,051	No. 7	No. 967	No. 304	No. ---	No. 54	No. 280	No. 10	No. ---	No. 1,001	No. 4,845
N. C.	No. ---	No. 154	No. 1,986	No. 50	No. 1,087	No. 436	No. 8	No. 639	No. 1,450	No. 422	No. ---	No. 15,739	No. 22,094
S. C.	No. ---	No. 34	No. 74	No. 29	No. 30	No. 25	No. ---	No. 147	No. 87	No. ---	No. ---	No. 827	No. 1,265
Ga.	No. ---	No. 355	No. 1,846	No. 415	No. 782	No. 1,566	No. 3	No. 900	No. 1,952	No. 7	No. 28	No. 16,705	No. 24,701
Tenn.	No. ---	No. 425	No. 4,198	No. 243	No. 2,391	No. 218	No. ---	No. 620	No. 2,827	No. 37	No. 69	No. 8,701	No. 19,939
Ala.	No. ---	No. 215	No. 898	No. 26	No. 163	No. 174	No. ---	No. 483	No. 643	No. 5	No. 1	No. 10,769	No. 13,413
Miss.	No. ---	No. 108	No. 1,384	No. 70	No. 37	No. 164	No. ---	No. 100	No. 1,427	No. 2	No. 1	No. 1,138	No. 4,461
Ark.	No. ---	No. 686	No. 6,090	No. 140	No. 1,214	No. 400	No. 1	No. 140	No. 1,407	No. 9	No. ---	No. 4,135	No. 14,403
La.-Okla.	No. 33	No. 302	No. 2,905	No. 34	No. 1,981	No. 538	No. 425	No. 146	No. 823	No. 8	No. ---	No. 417	No. 7,661
Texas	No. ---	No. 442	No. 1,126	No. 16	No. 2,385	No. 280	No. 1	No. 194	No. 919	No. 2	No. 8	No. 4,412	No. 9,852
Idaho	No. 2	No. 47	No. 431	No. 14	No. 45	No. 76	No. ---	No. 10	No. 52	No. ---	No. ---	No. 13	No. 704
Utah	No. 2	No. 52	No. 139	No. 3	No. 11	No. 28	No. ---	No. 10	No. 5	No. 1	No. ---	No. ---	No. 261
Wash.	No. ---	No. 158	No. 2,424	No. ---	No. 327	No. 397	No. ---	No. 31	No. 320	No. 17	No. ---	No. 1,436	No. 5,165
Calif.	No. ---	No. 426	No. 12,522	No. 336	No. 6,065	No. 6,685	No. 161	No. 592	No. 2,611	No. 155	No. 27	No. 13,567	No. 44,300

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young Turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number		Pounds		Average		Total pounds		Post-mortem condemnations	
	Inspected		(Live weight)		Live weight inspected 1/		: certified (ready-to-cook wt.)		Pounds (NYD)	
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
N. Atl.	Thou. 579	Thou. 516	1,000 pounds 10,278	1,000 pounds 10,423	Pounds 17.75	Pounds 20.20	1,000 pounds 7,847	1,000 pounds 90	1,000 pounds 73	Percent 0.97
E. N. Cent.	2,259	1,877	43,807	38,473	19.39	20.50	35,113	493	344	1.25
W. N. Cent.	5,466	4,475	112,111	94,657	20.51	21.15	89,337	75,883	1,168	1.87
S. Atl.	981	1,043	17,979	20,531	18.33	19.68	13,953	15,996	290	1.42
S. Cent.	1,878	1,538	39,616	32,981	21.09	21.44	31,219	26,027	455	1.50
West	3,448	3,626	73,965	78,613	21.45	21.68	59,279	62,570	1,190	1.79
U. S.	14,611	13,075	297,756	275,678	20.38	21.08	236,748	219,312	4,425	1.65
Pa.	437	367	7,530	7,544	17.22	20.54	5,875	5,949	66	.97
Ohio	444	382	8,924	7,920	20.10	20.73	7,068	6,364	60	.75
Ind.	730	609	15,128	13,093	20.73	21.51	12,252	10,515	203	1.49
Ill.-Mich. 3/	395	374	8,307	8,331	21.03	22.28	6,589	6,657	144	1.93
Wis.	690	512	11,448	9,129	16.59	17.82	9,204	7,293	86	.83
Minn.	2,603	1,965	49,902	39,110	19.17	19.90	39,891	31,407	850	1.90
Iowa	1,224	1,114	26,898	24,962	21.97	22.41	21,470	20,136	443	1.83
Mo.	847	681	18,733	15,357	22.12	22.55	14,729	12,144	372	2.21
N. Dak.-S. Dak. 3/	160	147	3,199	3,051	19.99	20.76	2,582	2,498	30	1.04
Nebr.	406	413	8,924	9,142	21.98	22.12	7,172	7,296	111	1.38
Kans.	226	155	4,455	3,035	19.71	19.58	3,493	2,402	80	2.00
Va.	415	572	7,624	10,878	18.38	19.03	5,742	8,277	126	1.83
N. C.	280	238	5,094	5,202	18.21	21.85	4,064	4,204	48	1.06
S. C.	69	23	1,415	554	20.60	23.89	1,143	453	4	.65
Ga.	88	89	1,762	1,642	20.02	18.52	1,414	1,321	15	.95
Ky.	268	245	5,535	5,372	20.64	21.95	4,269	4,114	66	1.32
Ark.	539	414	11,461	9,030	21.26	21.82	8,909	7,124	199	1.94
Okla.	349	186	7,808	4,000	22.39	21.46	6,220	3,190	110	1.57
Texas	639	539	13,891	13,659	20.59	21.38	11,121	10,897	151	1.21
Colo.	349	326	7,614	7,194	21.82	22.05	6,249	5,877	99	1.46
Utah	607	658	14,674	16,573	24.17	25.19	11,877	13,364	163	1.23
Wash.	62	66	1,332	1,426	21.46	21.72	1,053	1,150	17	1.40
Oreg.	174	231	3,739	4,625	21.44	20.02	2,940	3,679	50	1.49
Calif.	2,217	2,288	45,897	47,681	20.70	20.84	36,588	37,596	858	2.08

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

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Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, November 1962

Region and State	Tuber- : culosis	Leu- : cosis	Septi- : cemia	Airsac- : culitis	Inflam- : matory	Tumors : sites	Para- : sites	Bruises : sites	Cadaver : ination	Contam- : scald	Over- : position	Decom- : position	Other : position	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	59	1,911	264	456	11	---	42	199	201	10	3	77	3,233
E. N. Cent.	---	34	5,099	4,562	1,479	14	7	143	755	711	194	5	1,976	14,980
W. N. Cent.	---	209	14,850	22,975	4,218	75	4	613	1,297	1,787	366	148	12,112	58,655
S. Atl.	---	48	5,592	2,530	3,682	9	---	56	270	240	41	---	2,780	15,248
S. Cent.	---	130	5,715	6,765	2,240	22	4	191	381	770	33	3	5,414	21,668
West	---	125	11,559	23,719	13,081	90	3	1,242	800	1,828	138	79	21,274	73,938
U.S.	2	605	44,726	60,815	25,156	221	18	2,287	3,702	5,537	782	238	43,633	187,722
Pa.	---	22	1,197	145	177	2	---	33	84	109	4	3	67	1,843
Ohio	---	11	653	673	365	4	---	18	170	104	8	---	355	2,361
Ind.	1	8	2,349	1,871	88	5	---	15	110	108	23	2	526	5,106
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	5	1,301	842	473	1	5	45	279	393	141	3	13	3,501
Wis.	---	10	796	1,176	553	4	2	65	196	106	22	---	1,082	4,012
Minn.	---	18	4,119	10,660	791	25	---	170	509	756	141	---	7,804	24,993
Iowa	1	163	7,351	5,979	501	31	1	141	452	453	141	137	1,426	16,777
Mo.	---	6	656	3,560	1,788	6	3	41	119	213	3	2	1,167	7,564
N. Dak. - S. Dak. 1/	---	---	764	617	125	1	---	33	73	21	8	---	4	1,646
Nebr.	---	20	1,669	1,511	927	8	---	164	77	260	22	6	1,322	5,986
Kans.	---	2	291	648	86	4	---	64	67	84	51	3	389	1,689
Va.	---	12	3,997	2,138	2,649	1	---	5	181	118	32	---	1,521	10,654
N. C.	---	---	569	258	682	1	---	36	24	80	6	---	1,181	2,837
S. C.	---	---	34	34	66	1	---	3	11	5	---	---	34	188
Ga.	---	19	263	66	171	6	---	5	11	25	---	---	44	610
Ky.	---	1	1,724	834	330	4	2	59	118	174	20	---	165	3,431
Ark.	---	21	182	2,849	201	6	---	34	25	250	1	---	3,552	7,121
Okla.	---	10	942	611	349	1	---	20	9	107	6	3	18	2,076
Texas	---	98	2,750	2,419	1,342	11	2	77	223	205	6	---	1,615	8,748
Colo.	---	2	1,722	251	1,083	4	---	7	147	28	---	---	18	3,262
Utah	---	88	2,814	2,498	1,198	10	---	100	67	153	4	---	230	7,162
Wash.	---	2	234	485	42	1	---	12	2	17	1	---	---	796
Oreg.	---	6	1,400	930	616	19	---	32	77	183	22	79	763	4,127
Calif.	---	27	5,351	19,544	10,141	56	3	1,074	487	1,432	107	---	20,236	58,458

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Fryer-Roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds		Average		Total pounds		Post-mortem condemnations	
		inspected		live weight		certified			
		(live weight):		inspected 1/:		(Ready-to-cook wt.):		Pounds (NYD)	
		1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
		1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
N. Atl.	31	295	294	9.52	9.65	237	222	1	2
E. N. Cent.	305	2,926	3,805	9.59	9.08	2,298	2,997	25	32
W. N. Cent.	796	7,286	7,233	9.15	8.81	5,646	5,708	144	74
S. Atl.	418	3,560	2,387	8.52	9.18	2,591	1,806	133	28
S. Cent.	85	758	799	8.92	8.07	594	612	7	6
West	29	232	279	8.00	8.67	174	211	5	4
U.S.	1,664	15,057	14,797	9.05	8.91	11,540	11,556	315	146
Ohio	66	593	554	9.03	9.48	454	427	4	3
Wis.	199	1,976	2,908	9.93	9.02	1,555	2,301	20	29
Minn.	648	5,980	6,101	9.23	8.95	4,638	4,818	122	62
Iowa	85	749	840	8.81	8.42	590	665	11	9
Va.	391	3,310	2,359	8.48	9.18	2,396	1,785	132	28
Ark.	60	515	609	8.56	8.06	405	465	6	4
Calif.	25	203	279	8.15	8.67	151	211	5	4

Fryer-Roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, November 1962

Region	Tuber-	Leu-	Septi-	Airsac-	Inflam-	Para-	Bruises	Cadaver-	Contam-	Over-	Decom-	Other	Total
and State	culosis:	cosis:	cemia:	culitis:	matory:	sites:		ination:		scal:	position:		
:	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	---	89	---	7	---	3	3	8	---	---	---	110
E. N. Cent.	1	7	352	727	261	1	60	338	207	19	---	1,162	3,138
W. N. Cent.	---	24	2,414	1,437	82	8	118	403	791	10	28	1,707	7,023
S. Atl.	---	4	1,430	324	90	---	5	197	80	20	---	142	2,292
S. Cent.	---	5	94	188	35	---	8	15	115	---	---	147	607
West	---	---	101	33	47	---	9	8	69	5	---	203	475
U.S.	1	40	4,480	2,709	522	9	203	964	1,270	54	28	3,361	13,645
Ohio	---	---	36	6	77	---	8	97	60	---	---	26	311
Wis.	---	7	302	721	177	1	51	229	141	15	---	1,135	2,781
Minn.	---	14	1,575	1,226	66	8	98	262	643	9	---	1,647	5,549
Iowa	---	10	670	150	7	---	8	119	60	1	28	52	1,105
Va.	---	4	1,430	323	90	---	5	196	80	20	---	114	2,262
Ark.	---	4	5	167	15	---	4	7	64	---	---	147	413
Calif.	---	---	101	33	47	---	9	8	69	5	---	203	475

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Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Post-mortem condemnations									
	Total pounds :					Percent				
	Number inspected	Pounds inspected	Average live weight inspected 1/	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	Percent 2/
	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	1961 : 1962	Percent
	Thou.	Thou. pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent
N. Atl. 3/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent. 3/	33	687	20.82	14.50	556	22	5	---	0.81	---
W. N. Cent.	18	320	17.78	18.01	253	191	7	4	2.43	1.69
S. Atl. 3/	5	86	17.20	16.00	65	54	3	---	3.92	---
S. Cent. 3/	6	126	21.00	31.25	95	93	7	---	6.18	---
West 3/	11	241	21.91	21.47	187	6	3	---	1.38	---
U.S.	73	1,460	20.00	20.26	1,156	366	25	4	1.91	.95
Minn.	17	305	18.28	18.01	241	191	7	4	2.64	1.69
Calif. 4/	11	241	21.84	---	187	---	3	---	1.45	---

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, November 1962

Region and State	Tuber- : Leu- : Septi- : Airsac- : Inflam- : Para- : :		Culitis : matory : Tumors : sites : Bruises : Cadaver- : ination: scald : :		Contam- : Over- : :		Decom- : :		Other : Total	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent.	---	12	5	2	---	---	---	---	6	26
W. N. Cent.	---	44	82	19	---	---	2	---	33	181
S. Atl.	---	8	5	5	---	1	1	---	---	27
S. Cent.	---	1	---	5	---	---	1	---	---	8
West	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
U.S.	---	65	92	31	---	1	10	4	---	242
Minn.	---	44	82	19	---	---	1	2	---	181

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OFFICIAL BUSINESS

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Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.

Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.

Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.

Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.

Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.

Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U. S. D. A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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